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CASH PLAN ADOPTED.

The postage law, which goes into operation 1st of January, 1875, requires prepayment on all newspapers sent through the mails beyond the limits of the counties in which they are published. We have, therefore, determined to idopt the CASH PLAN for all subscriptions. While avoiding the losses, tardy payments and expenses of collection incident to the credit system, we will be required to prepay the postage The change determined upon will, therefore, prove beneficial to both subscribers and publisher. The termer will be relieved of the postage tax whilst the latter will be enabled to simplify the operations of his business and to improve the facilities for conducting it.

No name will be entered unless the subscrip-

tion is paid for in advance. During the past few months every subscriber in arrears has been furnished, through the mails, with a statement of his account. Many have responded with remittances discharging their liabilities and paying in advance for the current year. We appeal urgently to those who have not made a similar response to do so without further delay, as after the first of January, 1875, we will commence to discontinue the paper to those who have not paid in advance. The time within which all in arrears can close up the balances due and make an advance payment is ample, and we flatter ourselves that but few names will be dropped.

ALEXANDRIA, November 9.

[For the Alexandria Gazette. Recollections of the Elder Booth.

Recollections of the Elder Booth. Is warranted not to contain a single particle In 1843, I believe, I was "Major Domo" of Mercury, or any injurious mineral substance, the Marshall House of this city. The proprietor but is being engaged in another business left the management of the hotel to me. On a Monday morning a gentleman and lady came to the hotel and asked if they could be accommodated for a week or more. I told them I thought I could give them a pleasant room looking out on King street, but the lady preferred a room on the south side, a nice, coozy little room, over Vansant's sadlery establishment. Matters were arranged, and the gentleman went and doctors' bills. down with me to the office and registered his name J. Booth and wife. I looked at the man, nothing prepossessing in his appearance, but the gentleman stuck out all over. Can he, I said to myself, be the great tragedian. It was so. When the bell rang for dinner Booth and his excellent lady-for she was a lady in every excellent lady—for she was a lady in every sense of the word—came to the dining room, modest and unassuming. None of the guests or boarders knew who they were, and not a word was spoken to any one by either Booth or his the offspring of a diseased Liver. amiable wife, and they continued so up to the FOR DYSPEPSIA or INDIGESTION. Saturday following, when Mrs. Booth thought her services were required at home, the farm owned by Booth some miles from Baltimore, on the Philadelphia road. Booth accompanied his wife to the boat and returned. He looked his wife to the boat and returned. He looked melancholy and depressed, and retired to his room. I saw no more of him until the follow- It is the Cheapest, Purest and Best Family ing Sunday morning, dressed in white pants, white vest, and white round jacket; said he wanted to hear some good minister preach the Gospel as it is. I recommended him to St. Paul's Church, the Rev. Dr. Johnson then officiating; pointed the place from the corner of the street, and he attended the church. When J. H. ZEILIN & CO., he returned he pronounced the Doctor au excellent and eloquent divine-quite a tribute from such an elocutionist as Booth.

On the Monday following he came down to the office and said he knew many gentlemen in

this city in younger days-Dr. Carson, Dr. Washington, and Sandy Moore, and others, and would be happy to see them. I went to Spleen. the front door and saw Dr. Carson on the opposite side of the street and called him over. The meeting was agreeable, but the Doctor was obliged to leave, as the conveyance was then COLIC, CONSTIPATION AND BILIOUS- much of its component parts, and can certify its waiting for him at King and Washington NESS. streets to carry him to his house, the late Jas. Roach's, several miles from town. Soon after the interview just mentioned Dr. Washington came along. I told the old Doctor a gentleman in the house had expressed a desire to see him. He came in, and a friendly greeting took place, but the Doctor was then on a visit to a patient. They separated, but they were old time friends. I saw it. I told Booth that Sandy Moore, then Notary Public, would be there as soon as the bank (old Potomac) closed. In a few moments Sandy was there, and the meeting between Sandy and Booth was refreshing. It was in the old Virginia gentleman style. Booth invited Sandy up to his room and ordered up a bottle of best brandy, but Sandy would not drink brandy, but a delicate cocktail was in variably his order. The second bottle of brandy was ordered up with many "delicate cocktails. In an incredible short time I heard a heavy fall, a thud as it were. I went up to see what it was. Booth insensible on the floor and Sandy dancing around in great glee. I called a servant and we took Booth into a small room. We had a fine cow-the cow had just come home to her calf. The weather was extremely hot; July it was. I ordered hot milk from the cow and administered it myself. I let him be quiet a short time and then ordered some strong tea. He drank it and then slept probably an hour. I roused him up and started him to the theatre. The corners of the streets were placarded, "Booth as Richard the Third to-night." I went to the theatre that night and if ever Richard was truly delineated it was that night. When he said "Richard is himself again," I saw it was so. Wounderful, but the cow did it. Peace to his manes. He was a PURE DRUGS, LEWIS WHITE LEAD, gentleman in every sense of the word. ONE WHO KNEW HIM.

A NEW WAY TO GET BONNETS. - A North Carolina paper says that "two negro girls, in want of a new bonnet, placed obstructions on HATS, CAPS AND FURS. the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, near Warsaw, the other day, as they say, for the purpose of killing some ladies on the train that they might secure the bonnets." They have been tried before a justice of the peace and sent to Duplin jail. There would seem to be a good opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megood opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megood opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and all of the latest styles, and quality from the megod opening for a milliner in that section, and the milliner in also for the application of a civil rights law, which should provide for the equal punishing to sell at most reduced prices. He has also made of all heads capable of concocting such expedients for capital ornamentation, without regard silk hat manufacturers in New York to be supto race, color or condition.

HARD TIMES FOR PUBLISHERS.—It is understood that Appleton's Journal will be discontinued at the end of the year. It is said it has never begun to reach the paying point; that in the five years of its existence it has lost over \$100,000 and the firm would have given it up before had they not had a pride in given it up before had they not had a pride in Cherry, Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. given it up before had they not had a price it continuance. It is asserted that only four and Piso's Cure, at WARFIELD & HALL'S, money, and not one of the magazines have oct 29 Corner Prince and Fairiax streets. proved profitable. It is estimated that fully \$3,000,000 have been lost in twelve months in the publication business in New York city alone.

OCT OF COD CRANBERRIES, Layer, Valencia and Seedless Raisins, prime Citron and Lemon Peel, &c., &c., for sale by dec 14

LARGE SPLIT LABRADOR HERRING, Round Shore Herring, and St. John's Alewives, just received. dec 4

R. B. LAWSON & CO.

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MMONS' The Symptoms of Liver Complaint are uneasiness and pain in the side. Sometimes the pain is in the shoulder, and is mistaken for rheumatism. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness, bowels in general costive, sometimes alternating with lax. The head is troubled with pain, and dull, heavy sensation, considerable loss of memory, accompanied with painful sensation of laving left undone something which ought to have been done. Often complaining of weakness, debility, and low spirits. Sometimes many of the above symptoms attend the disease, and at other times very few of them; but the Liver is generally the organ most involved.

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PURELY VEGETABLE,

containing those Southern Roots and Herbs, which an all-wise Providence has placed in countries where Liver Diseases most prevail. It will cure all Diseases caused by Derangement of the Liver and Bowels.

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Is eminently a Family Medicine; and by being kept ready for immediate resort will save many an hour of suffering and many a dollar in time

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Armed with this ANTIDOTE, all climates

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For all diseases of the Liver, Stomach and As a Remedy in MALARIOUS FEVERS, BOWEL COMPLAINTS, DYSPEPSIA, MENTAL DEPRESSION, RESTLESSNESS, JAUNDICE, NAUSEA, SICK HEADACHE, be of service in very many cases. I know very

IT HAS NO EQUAL.

TESTIMONIALS.

"I have never seen or tried such a simple, efficacious, satisfactory and pleasant remedy in my life."—H. Hainer, St. Louis, Mo. Hon. Alex. H. Stephens.

"I occasionally use, when my condition requires it, Dr. Simmons' Liver Regulator, with good effect."—Hon. Alex. H. Stephens.

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"I have used the Regulator in my family for the post seventeen years. I can safely recom-mend it to the world as the best medicine I have ever used for that class of diseases it purports to cure."-H. F. Thigpen.

President of City Bank. "Simmons' Liver Regulator has proved a good and efficacious medicine."—C. A. Nutting. Druggist.

"We have been acquainted with Dr. Simmons' Liver Medicine for more than twenty years, and know it to be the best Liver Regulator offered to the public."—M. R. Lyon and H. L. Lyon, Bellefontaine, Ga.

"I was cured by Simmons' Liver Regulator, after having suffered several years with Chills and Fever."—R. F. Anderson. The Clergy.

"Have been a dyspeptic for years; began the Regulator two years ago; it has acted like a charm in my case."—Rov. J. C. Holmes. Ladies' Endorsement.

"I have given your medicinea thorough trial, and in no case has it failed to give full satisfac-tion."-Ellen Meacham, Chattahooche, Fla. Sheriff Bibb County.

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My Wife. "My wife and self have used the Regulator for years, and testify to its great virtues."-Rev.

J. R. Felder, Perry. Ga. "I think Simmons' Liver Regulator one of the best medicines ever made for the Liver. My wife, and many others, have used it with won-derful effect." - E. K. Sparks, Albany, Ga.

M. D."I have used the Regulator in my family, and also in my regular practice, and have found it a most valuable and satisfactory medicine, and believe if it was used by the profession it would

medicinal qualities are perfectly harmless."-B. F. Griggs, M.D., Macon, Ga.

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DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS,
GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c.,
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JANNEY & CO., DEALERS IN Paints, Oils and Varnishes, FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. No. 145 King street.

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Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to.

JOHN T. EVANS

Respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally that he has just returned from New York with a large and select assortment of HATS, CAPS AND FURS, ever offered in this market, which he is prepared arrangements with the most fashionable and best

plied with the latest styles.

Ladies' Furs repaired and White Furs cleaned.

Oct 14-tf

FRANKLIN CREIGHTON, H. HEMPLER, OPTICIAN,

No. 453 Pennsylvania avenue, corner 4½ street, WASHINGTON, D. C. Specialty-GOLD SPECTACLES and new style SKELETON EYE-GLASSES. FOR CHRISTM AS-Stereoscopes, with plates, S1 and upwards; Parlo Steam Engines, Kaleidoscopes, Microscopes and other low priced

and fine Holiday Goods. Washington, dec 19-eotf Quinine and glycerine hair

This hair wash contains the tonic and invigorating properties of Quinine, with the softening and moistening properties of Glycerine. It is intended to prevent the Hair from failing out, and to promote its healthy and rapid growth. As a dressing for ordinary toilet use, it will be found an elegant preparation. Just received at oct 29 WARFIELD & HALL'S. doz. Linen Collars at 6c, worth 12c. FERGUSON & BRO

MORE NEW DRY GOODS, from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore-We continue to receive large quantities of seasonable Dry Goods, purchased at prices greatly under value, and continue to sell at corresponding low rates, &c. We buy cheap and give full value.

D. F. BRASHEAR, 100 King street, Alexandria, Va.

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Agents for the sale of CUMBERLAND COAL, mined by the American Coai Co., and are pre-

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AT THE LOWEST PRICES-We have constantly on hand a large assortment of COTTONS, CALICOS, Canton Flannels, Shirting, Bed Quilts, Blankets, Table Cloth Goods. R. L. WOOD, No. 62 King street.

CHOPPING AXES, of Hunt's, Mann's, Reynold's and other celebrated manufacturers, for sale by the box or single Axe.

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A VERY superior assortment of ENGLISH HAIR and TOOTH BRUSHES just received and for sale by JANNEY & CO.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

WILL BE CLOSED OUT BY THE 25th OF DECEMBER WITHOUT RESERVE, And prices have been marked down with a view to running off every dollar's worth of

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An early call will insure a variety that will please everybody. Goods are moving off with a rush. Buy without delay, and save both time

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FOR CHRISTMAS. Henry Brengle

Offers the largest stock of CAKES ever baked at one season in Alexandria. His mammoth askind, will be replenished daily.

CONFECTIONERY, NUTS, CANDIES,
FRUITS and SWEETMEATS always on hand.

20 Families supplied with ICE CREAM. His FRIED OYSTERS are favorites every-124 KING STREET.

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We are prepared to furnish TER & BAKER ELASTIC AND SHUT-TLE-STICH MACHINES, of the lates and best styles, at the lowest prices for CASH, or will sell on time if desired.

dec 18 LEADBEATER & BRO.

PAISLEY SHAWLS, FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. Something useful as a present D. F. WITMER CO.

XMASI AMAS! MASI If you are in want of NICE XMAS PRE-SENTS, call and examine our large stock of TOILET SETS,
Perfumerics, Hair Brushes, Dressing Combs,
Fancy Soaps, Farina Cologne, Vienna Cologne,
Grand Duchess and Floral Cologne, &c.
HENRY COOK & CO.,
107 King street,

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ALL NATIONS OF THE GLOBE MADE TO CONTRI ASTOUNDING ASSORTMENT OF HO SUITABLE FOR CHARGE AND AS PRINT AS PRINCIPLE AND AS PRINCIPLE OF Paris, London and New York Sable to Ladics, Misses, Gendlemen and Oly COMPLETE ever offered to the COMPLETE ever offered to the 933 Pennsylvania A

Holiday Goods.

We are receiving our usual stock of HOLI-We are receiving our usual stock of HOIII-DAY GOODS, consisting of Tool Boxes, Dolls, Work Boxes, Tea Sets, Slipper Patterns, Jet Sets and Ornaments, fine Plated Jeweiry, Silk Cord and Tassels, Perfumeries and Toilet Soaps, &c. 25 doz. Hair Brushes at 50c, worth \$1; 50 FERGUSON & BRO'S.

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Just received a large and handsome stock of goods suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, bought at auction at very low prices. I name in part— Rich decorated FRENCH CHINA DINNER

and TEA SETS. Rich decorated VASES, MUGS, CUPS and SAUCERS. Rich decorated MANTLE SETS.
BOHEMIAN GLASS VASES, COLOGNE

RICH FRENCH TOILET SETS. " ENGLISH "WHITE DINNER and TEA SETS, of French China and best English Ironstone China.
TOY TEA SETS, Cups and Saucers, Mugs and a variety of ther Toys.
RICH CUT GLASS, in Goblets, Wines, Bowls, &c., and a variety of other goods, all of which will be sold at VERY LOW PRICES

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Immense Bargains in DRY GOODS

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Black Gro. Grain Silk, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Irish Poplins, at 87c, \$1.00, \$1.12 and \$1.25. Pure Mohair Alpacas, worth 75c, at 50c. Best Alpacas, worth 50c at 37½c

Best Alpacas, worth 37½c, at 25c. All-wool Cashmeres, worth 75c, at 60c. Beautiful line of Waterproofs, at 87½c, \$1.00, \$1.12 and \$1.25. Immense stock of Camels, Serges, Diagonals,

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derwear. Ladies' Merino Vests, worth \$1, at 622c. Gents' Undershirts, worth 75c, at 50c. All-wool Blankets, worth \$8, at \$5.

Best yard-wide Bleached Cottons at 12½c.
Shawls—India, Paisley, Broche, Merino and all-wool fancy.
Ledies' and Misses' Furs at less than actual

Great variety of Ladies' Scarfs, big stock of Notions, &c. Our stock is large and complete in all its branches. Call and convince your

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A new lot of Guitar and Violin Strings, of all

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To Organs and Pianos tuned, repaired and packed. Call at V. BECKER'S Piano and

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Price 12½ cents per pound.

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riety of NEW BOOKS, in single volumes and sets. The list embraces the choicest American and English Books. The stock of CHIDREN'S GAMES has been

selected with special reference to the combining of instruction and amusement, To these must be added DISSECTED MAPS, PUZZLE PICTURES, BANKS, &c., from 25 cents to IMPROVED STEAM ENGINES, \$1 TO \$5.

The new ELECTRIC ENGINES, \$6, runs for a month, and renewable forever. Russia Leather Goods

A SPECIALTY. SATCAELS and TRAVELLING BAGS, GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, in sets. PORTEMONNAIES, for ladies and gentlemen, with and without chains. Card Cases, Ladies' Companions, all sizes and prices. Segar Cases, and many other articles, all of the finest

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Japanese work.
Papier Mache Cabinets, Writing Desks, Glove
Boxes and Card Boxes. These are the most elegantly ornamented goods, and entirely new Sliver, and finished inside in white enamel.

These are the finest Desks in the market. Writing Cases, in leather, all sizes, very convenient for travellers. Jewel Caskets, in Satin and Russia Leather. Fine Bronze and Glass Instruments, Scotch Wood Goods, Stereoscopes and Views. Fine Backgammon Boards and Men; Chess Men in

tine wood and Ivory.

Chromos, embracing the finest Figure Pieces and Landscapes. A very large stock of Flower Pieces, Crosses, in elegant framng. All new and Deautiful goods.
Pearl Card Cases, very handsome. Wostem-

nolm's fine Pocket Knives. Opera Glasses of the best manufacture. Work Boxes in fine Russia Leather, Rose-wood, Satin Wood and Japanese work, all sizes and styles.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS.

French Bonbon Boxes, very richly made in satin and straw. Satin Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, lined with white watered silk. Fancy Baskets, lined with silk and leather.

Carved Wood Goods, embracing Wall Pockets, Slipper Pockets, Brackets, Clock Shelves, Match Safes, Towel Racks, Hanging Baskets for Flowers in great variety.

The above comprise simply the leading articles selected for the approaching holidays. A thousand and one things, impossible to enumerate in the selected for the approaching holidays. a single advertisement, have been provided, making one of the most complete assortments ever ouered for sale in the State. Information cheerfully given by letter when it is not convo-nient to call and examine the stock.

GEO. E. FRENCH 95 King Street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA. RAISINS-LAYER and Seedless RAISINS just received.

R. B. LAWSON & CO.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMASI LADIES' FURS VERY CHEAP. We have a consignment of fine Furs, some of which are of very superior quality, varying in price from \$25 to \$50.

Also a full line of Initial Handkerchiefs, Fancy Ties, Gloves and Gauntlets, Hoods, Scarfs, Shawls in great variety, a full stock of Ladies' Vests, Felt Skirts, choice patterns, together with other desirable goods.

D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. HOOMES, 109 King st., Alexandria.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS—We have received this day the following goods, which we will sell at prices to suit the times: Raisins, in whole, half and quarter boxes; loose Muscatel and Seedless do.; Imperial Figs in layers; Eleine do. in layers; Malaga Grapes; Oranges and Lemons; Citron and Lemon Peel; Almonds; English Walnuts; Pecans; Filberts and Palm Nuts; Atmore's and Anderson's Mince Meat; Apple Butter; Cox's Gelatine; Canned Goods; English and American Pickles. Sauces and Potted Meats; Canton Ginger; Pineapple, Edam and Sapsago Cheese; Brandy Peaches and Cherries; Clive Oii; Surdines; Flavoring Extracts. Also a large stock of fine Imported and Domestic Liquors, which we guarantee to be as pure as can be bought in this country. For bargains call on GEO. McBURNE & SON, Fine Grocers and Liquor Dealers, dec 7 166 and 170 King street. half and quarter boxes; loose Muscatel and

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

Such as Mottoed China Mugs, dc. Cups and Saucers, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, China Tea Sets, large and small China Images, Pocket and Stand Mirrors, a good assortment of Vases, and Toilet Sets, and many other Fancy Articles for sale very cheap at dec 14

GEO. W. FRANCIS'S.

MUSICAL GOODS

FOR THE

THOLIDAY PRESENTS!

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

I have in store, and shall add daily thereto, a large assortment of goods suitable for Christmas gifts. I name in part: China and Bohemian Ware, in great variety; Vases; Mugs; Cups and Saucers; Toilet Sets, in many beautiful designs; Smoking Sets, several patterns; Perfumery and Toilet Articles of all kinds; Dolls of all sizes, from 5c to \$5; Doll Heads and Bodies, &c.; Jewelry, consisting of Sets, Ear Rings, Breast Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, &c.; Handkerchiefs, Plain, Hemstitched and Embroidered. These, with many other articles too numerous to mention, will be found useful presents for the holidays. I have marked all goods at an extremely low figure, and invite the attention of buyers. [dec 7] C. C. BERRY, 72 King st.

CHRISTMAS GROCERIES.

CHRISTMAS GROCERIES. The attention of my customers and the public generally is respectfully called to a large line of

choice goods, such as—
RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON,
PRESERVED JELLIES,
CANNED GOODS in great variety,
ENGLISH and AMERICAN PICKLES, WORCESTERSHIRE and other SAUCES,

WORCESTERSHIRE and other SAUCES, NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, NEW YORK and VA. BUCKWHEAT, HOMINY GRITS, &c., &c., together with a full stock of pure BRANDIES, WHISKIES, WINES, &c., &c. Also Virginia Crab Apple, New York and Newark CIDER—all of which will be sold at the very lowest rates, consistent with fair dealing.

JOSEPH HOPKINS, Grocer, dec 3

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